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INVENTION: "A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND
AN ELECTRICAL DEVICE USING THE
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE"



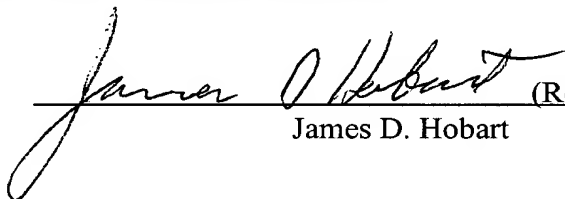
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